

Please amend Claims 1, 5, 10, 14, 16, 18-22, and 25. Amendments to the claims are indicated in the attached "Marked Up Version of Amendments" (pages i - ii).

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1. (Twice Amended) An audible alarm for use in a building fire alarm system, the audible alarm producing a plurality of distinct audible alarm signals which are selectable in response to a remote control signal, the audible alarm being connectable to a control panel by a pair of lines, the audible alarm including a controller that controls the audible alarm in response to the remote control signal.

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(Amended) The audible alarm of Claim 1, wherein the controller is a microcontroller that receives the control signal from the control panel over the pair of lines.

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10. (Twice Amended) An audible alarm for use in a building fire alarm system that produces a plurality of distinct audible alarm signals, the audible alarm being controlled by a remote control signal that can be sent over a notification appliance circuit, the audible alarm including a controller that can receive the control signal and select at least one of the distinct audible alarm signals for the audible alarm to produce.

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14. (Amended) The audible alarm of Claim 10, wherein the controller is a microcontroller at the audible alarm that controls the audible alarm.

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16. (Twice Amended) An audible alarm for use in a building fire alarm system, comprising:
an alarm generator to generate a plurality of distinct, audible alarm signals; and
an alarm signal selector responsive to a remote control signal applied to the audible alarm from a pair of lines connectable to the audible alarm from a control panel.

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18. (Amended) The audible alarm of Claim 16, wherein the pair of lines supply power to the audible alarm.

19. (Twice Amended) A building fire alarm system comprising:
at least one audible alarm to generate plural distinct audible alarm signals; and
a system controller coupled to the audible alarm by a pair of lines, the system controller providing power over the pair of lines and sending a control signal over the pair of lines for directing the audible alarm to selectively produce the plural distinct audible alarm signals.
20. (Amended) The alarm system of Claim 19, further comprising a microcontroller at the audible alarm that controls the audible alarm in response to the control signal.
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contd. 21. (Amended) The alarm system of Claim 19, wherein the audible alarm produces a prerecorded voice message.
22. (Twice Amended) A method of controlling a building fire alarm system, comprising:
providing an audible alarm coupled to a remote controller by a pair of lines; and
controlling, with the remote controller, the audible alarm to selectively produce a plurality of distinct audible alarm signals by sending a control signal along the pair of lines, the audible alarm including a controller that controls the audible alarm to produce the plurality of distinct audible alarm signals according to the control signal.

- B1 25. (Amended) A method for controlling an audible alarm in a building fire alarm system comprising dynamically changing, with encoded signals over a power line, audible tones or patterns of the audible alarm.

Please add Claims 26 and 27.

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cont. 26. (New) A method for operating a building fire alarm system, comprising:
connecting at least one audible alarm to a control panel with a pair of lines; and